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see from our cover that Donald has popped out for frozen fish with a difference! Want to hear some amazing fish facts? Well, sturgeons are the licker wrinklies of the fish world - they can live for up to

70 years! And did you know that the skins of dogfish are so rough that fisherman used to scrub the decks with them? Ouch!





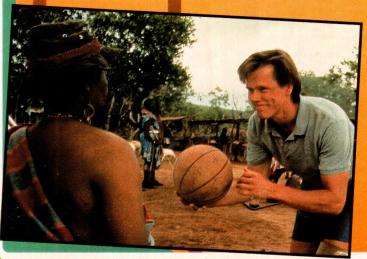


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Just out on video is Hollywood Pictures' hilarious new basketball comedy, The Air Up There (Cert PG).

The film stars Kevin Bacon as Jimmy Dolan, a basketball coach who is looking for his team's next star player. His search takes him to Africa where he finds a towering Winabi warrior, Saleh, who lives in a remote village and is next in line to lead his tribe.

Saleh's family and the rest of the Winabi tribe don't take too kindly to Jimmy's plans for Saleh and chaos follows. Jimmy finally gets the chance to draft his dream player when the Winabis decide to settle a local squabble with a basketball game and ask him to be their coach.



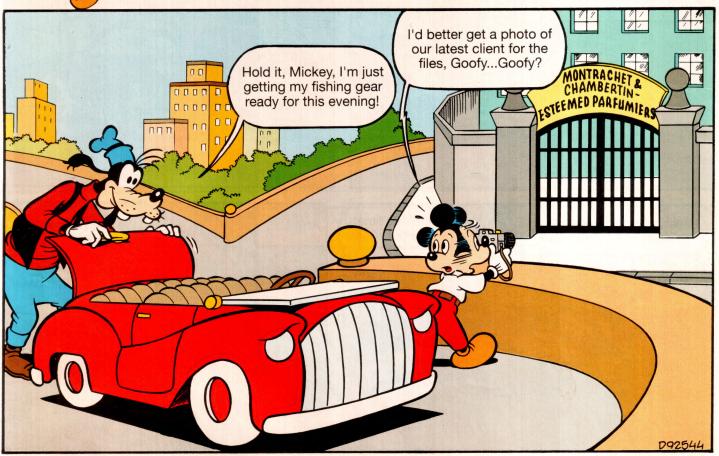
If you enjoyed Cool Runnings and A League Of Their Own, you'll love The Air **Up There** with its fast paced sporting action and quick fire comedy!





MICKEY MOUSE

Stake Out





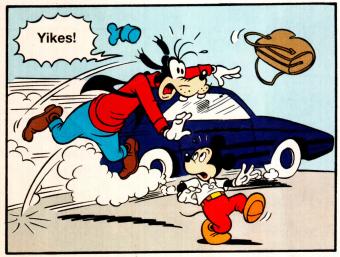
It's my lucky fishing coat. I was wearing this when I caught a ten-pound carp years ago!





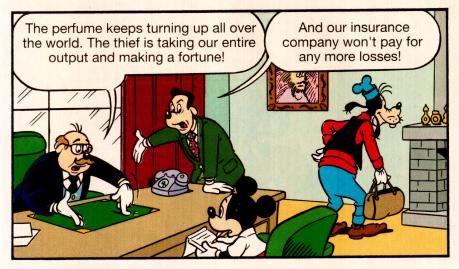














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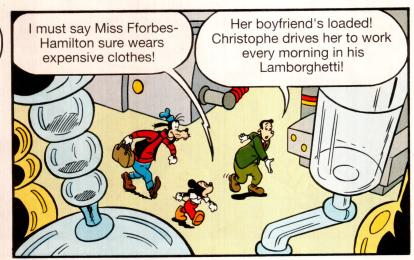




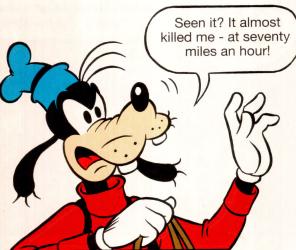


No, but I can certainly smell something suspicious! Will you excuse me, please? Work is difficult enough with the builders in!

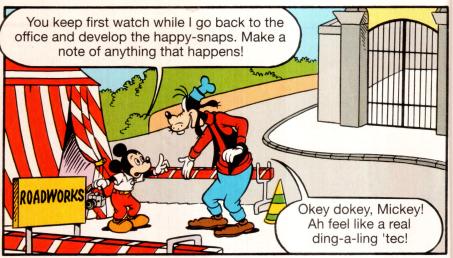




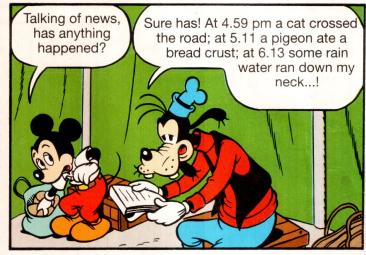


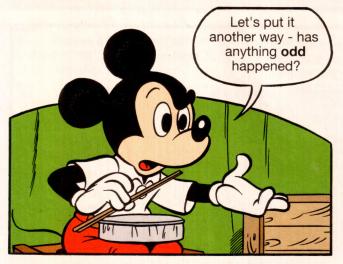


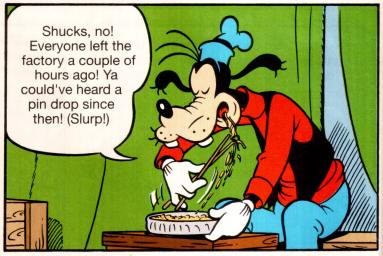






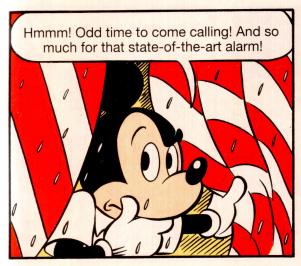






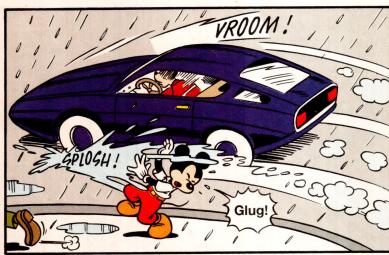




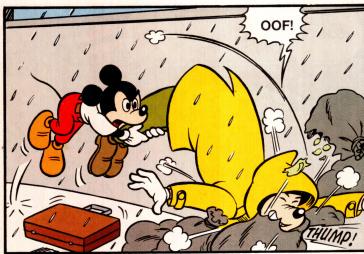










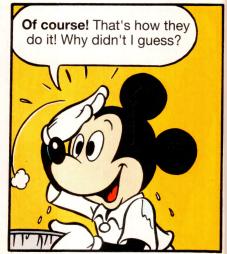






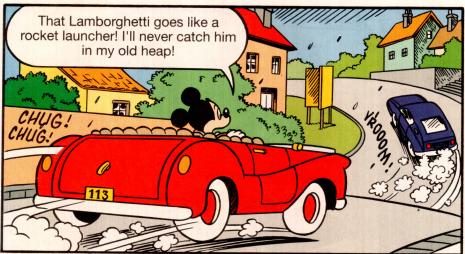




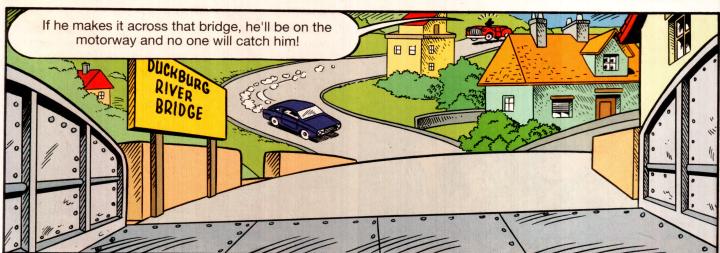




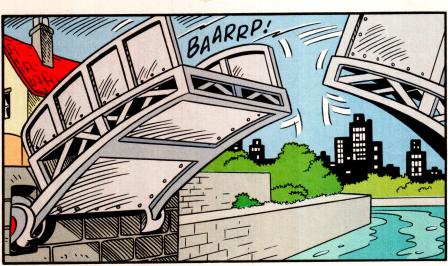








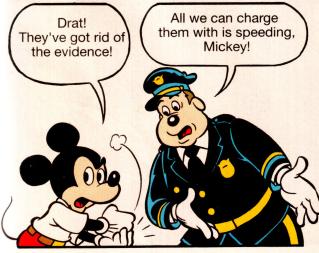




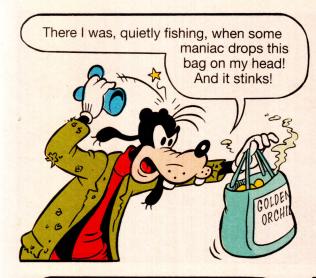


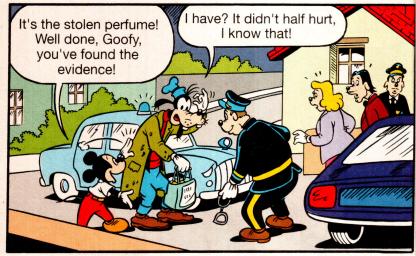




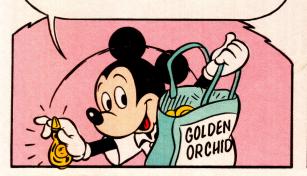








You see, Ariadne was passing the bottles of perfume out through a hole in her office wall to the Golden Orchid! That was easy, 'cause the builders are in!

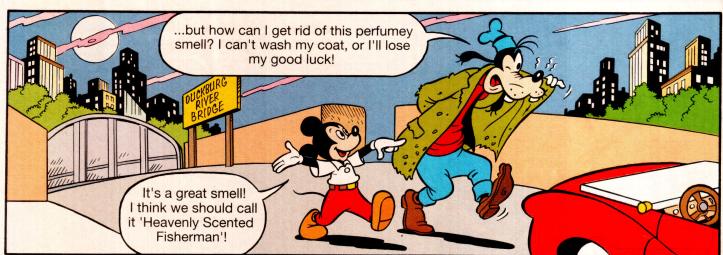


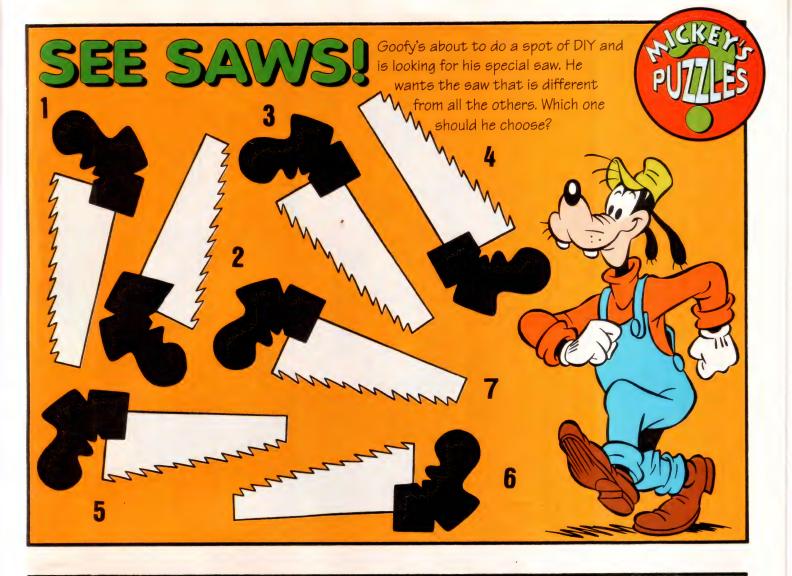


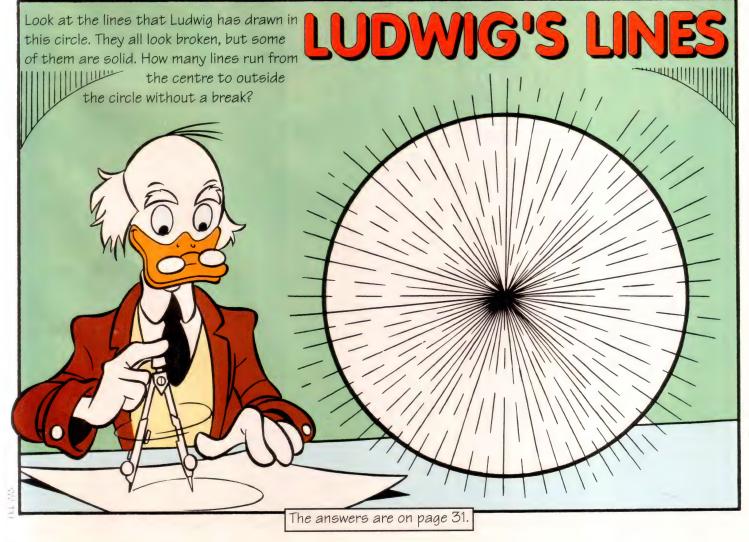
When you two are behind bars, I'll have a word with that chef at the Golden Orchid!

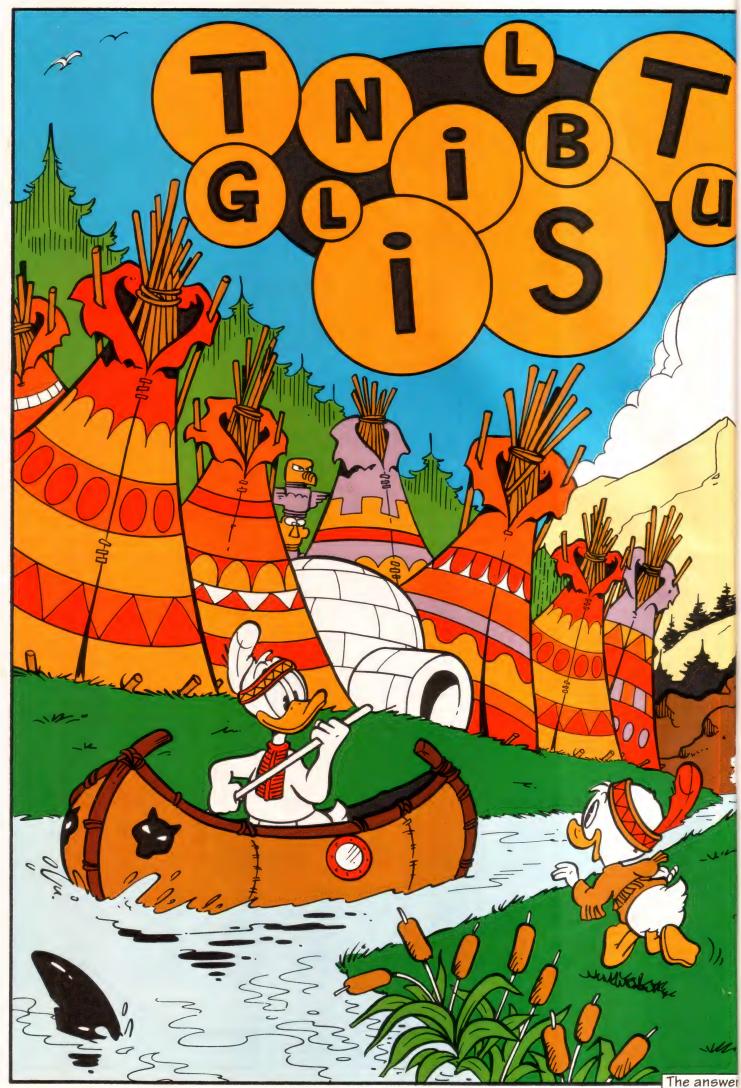






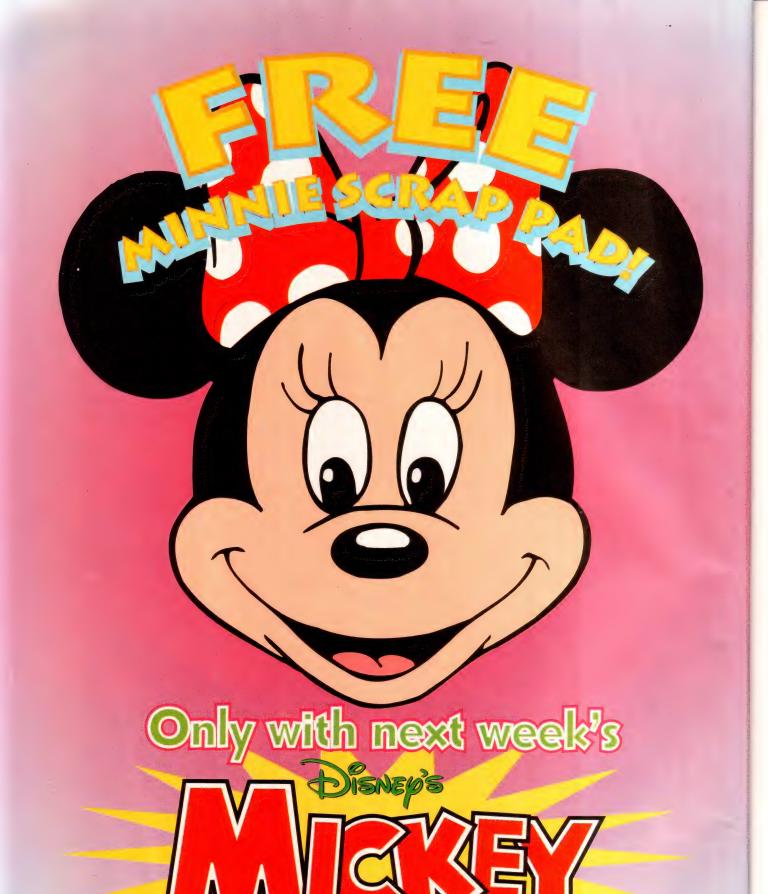






Donald, Daisy and the nephews are having fun being native American Indians. There are some things not quite right with this wild west scene, though - see if you can spot all five mistakes. The letters on the left unscramble to spell out the name of a famous Indian chief. Start with the biggest letter and work down to the smallest to find out who it is. Look at the wigwam in the bottom right of the picture. There's a piece missing from it, leaving a black hole. Which of the pieces numbered 1 to 5 fits into the hole? There are lots of wigwams in this picture and two of them are the same. Which two?





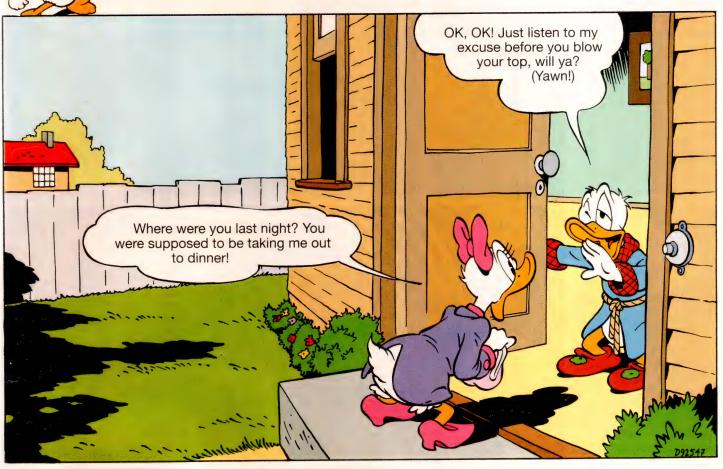
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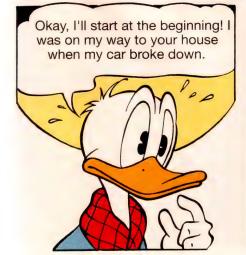
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DONALD DUCK

The Excuse











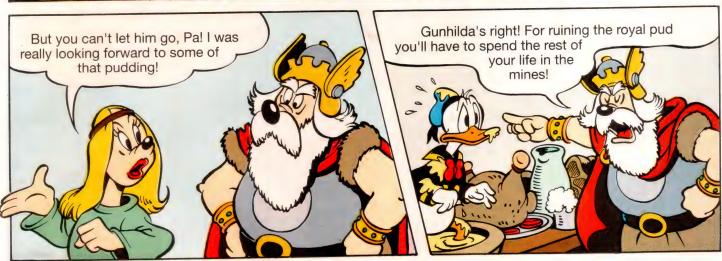








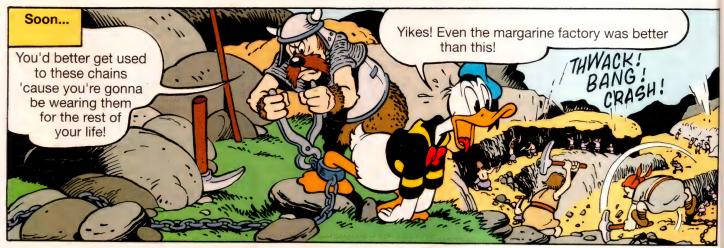


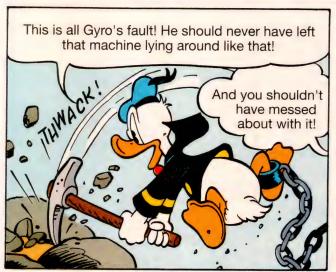


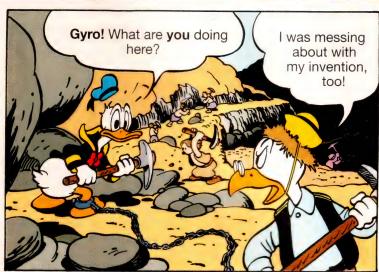


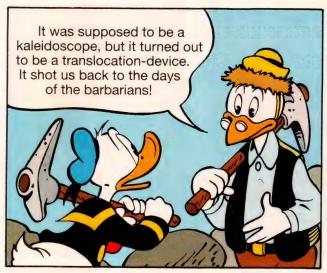
















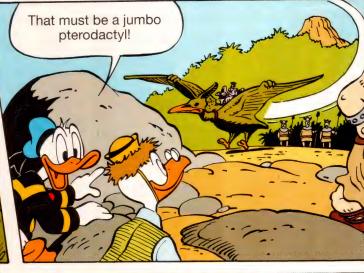


















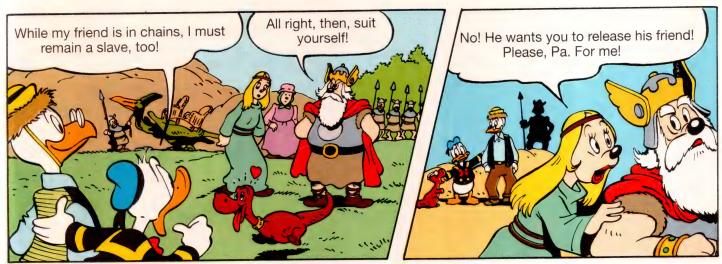


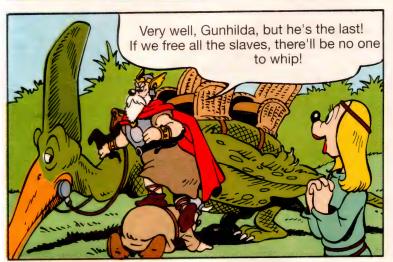


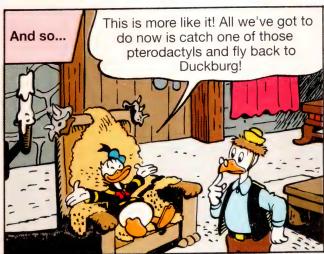












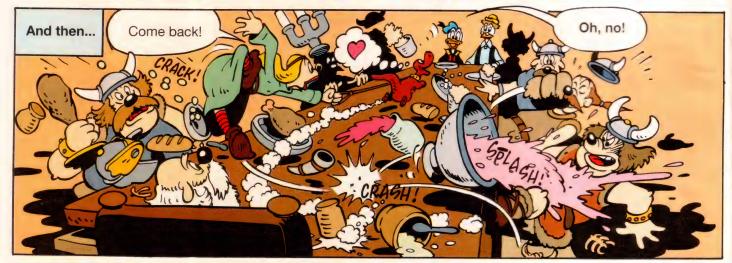










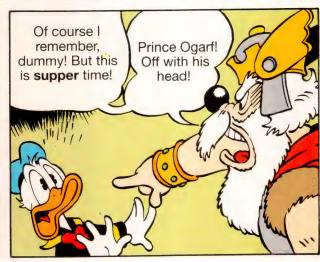




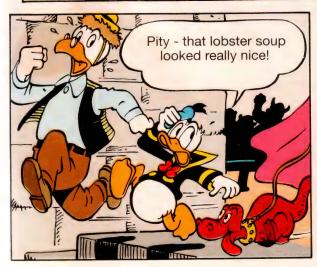








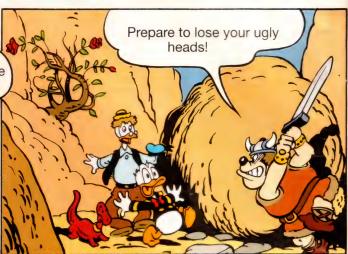


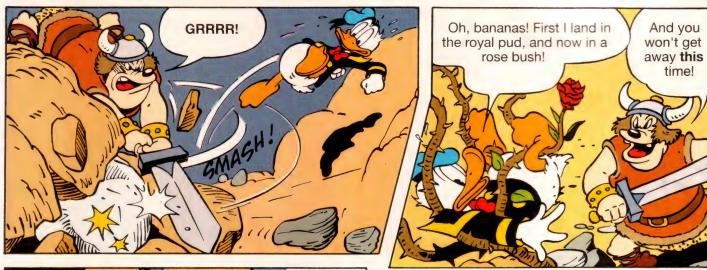










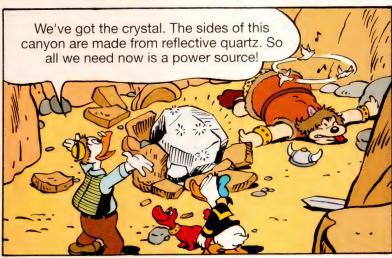








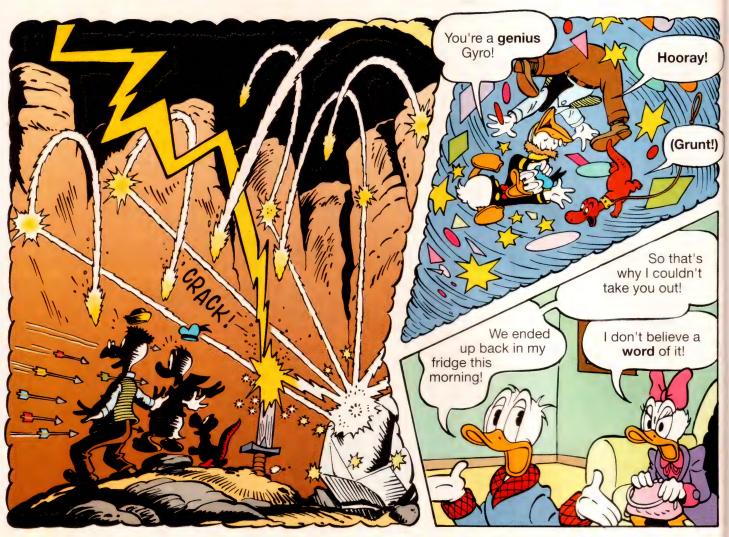




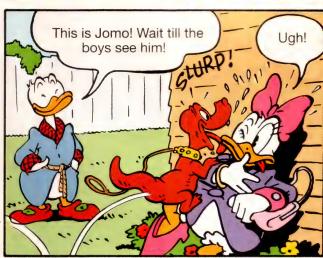




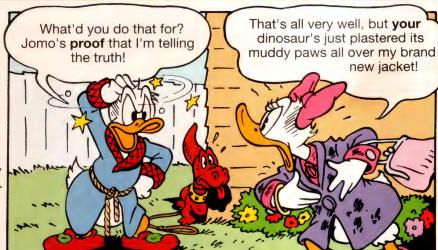














STAR JOKE

Q: Where do astronauts leave their spaceships? A: At parking meteors!

Nicola Hobbs, Bristol.

2: What do you call a big ant? A: An elephant! Chris Fenwick, Birminaham.

Q: Why is it fun to work

Q: Who invented fractions? A: Henry the Eighth! Gary Jackson, Poole.

in a watch factory? A: Because you can sit and make faces all day! Patrick Boulton. Bradford.

Q: What do you call a chicken

that tells jokes?

A: A comedihen!

Alex Wilmore, Slough.

Q: What do you call pigs with fleas? A: Pork scratchinas! Kelly Sharpe, Peterborough.

Q: What did the iceberg do when it read Just Joking? A: It cracked up! Nikesh Pabari, Hounslow.

Claire Hutchison, London.

Q: What do you get if you cross Madam Mim with an ice cube? A: A cold spell! Paul Herbert, Stockton-on-Tees.

Q: What do you call a girl with creepy Customer: Butcher, have you crawlies in got a sheep's head? Butcher: No, it's just the way I part my hair!

her hair? A: Alice! Claire Bracegirdle, Manchester. Operation, Ker-plunk and Connect 4. Over the next few weeks, you can try and win Splat! is the exciting race chase game where the object is to get two Play-Doh bugs around the board, avoiding the bug

'splatter'. This is a fab fun game that gets faster and faster as more bugs get sauashed!

To try and win, send your favourite jokes to: Just Joking, Mickey's Mail, PO Box 61, London WC1H 95G.

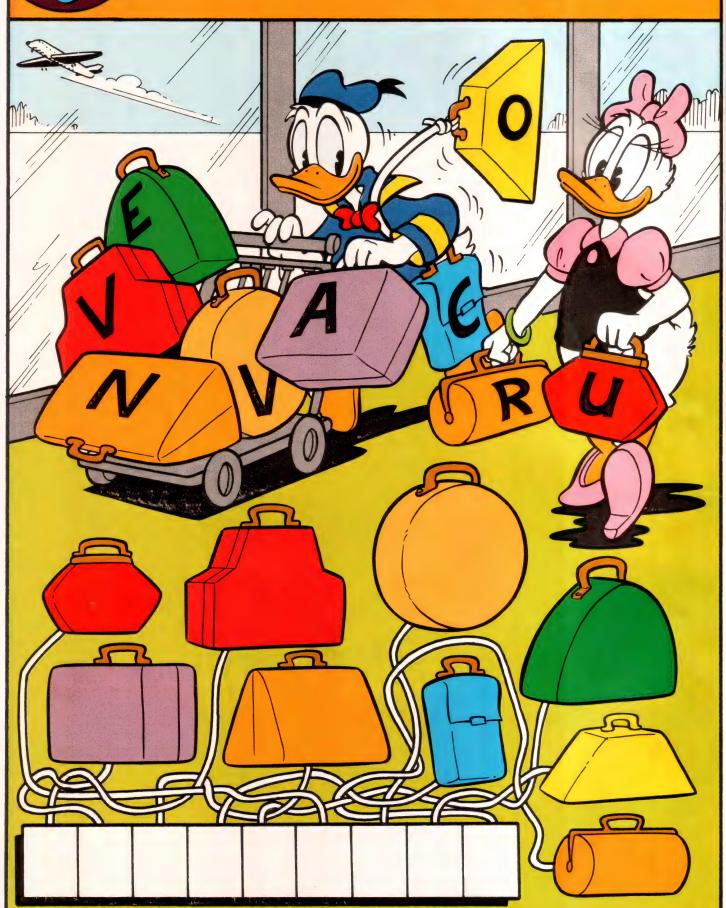
Q: Why weren't the elephants allowed in the swimming pool? A: Because they couldn't hold their trunks up! Claire Angus, Leicester.

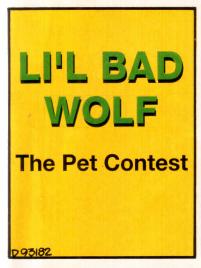
Q: What do you get if you cross a cod with a mushroom? A: Fish fungus! Susan Hughes, Cardiff.

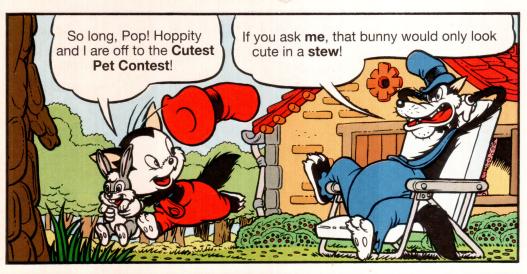
Knock, knock! Who's there? Luke. Luke who? Luke through the keyhole and find out! Emily Sanderson,

> Q: What bird is always out of breath? A: A puffin! Gemma Ribchester, Bolton.

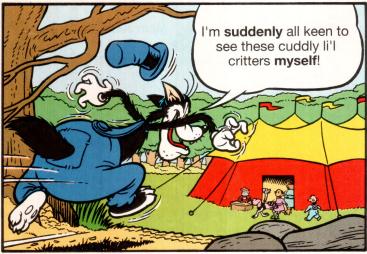
PUPIES WHERE IN THE WORLD Donald and Daisy have just come back from a trip abroad. If you work out which order their bags go in, you can find out where they've been!



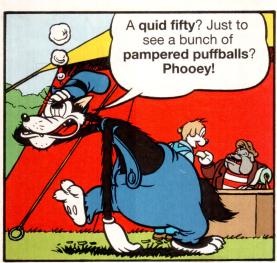






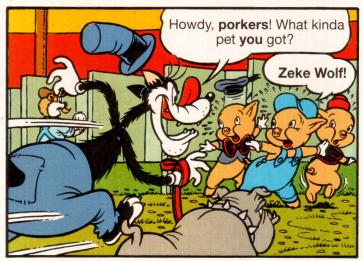


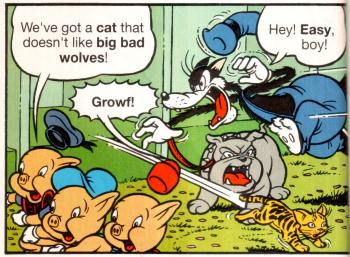


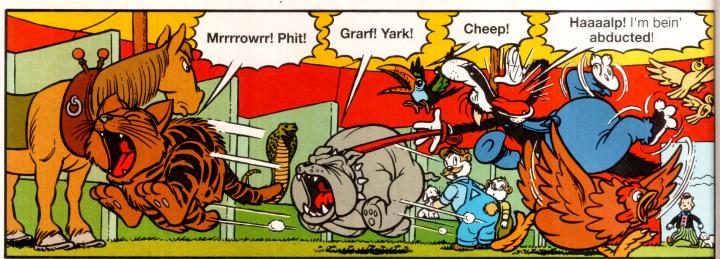


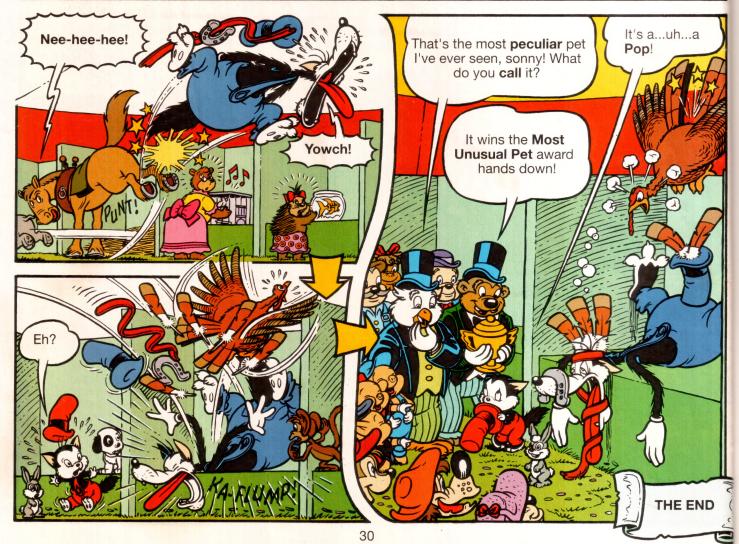














SURPRISE. SURPRISE!

Hello to: Liam Galvin in Co. Kerry, May San Wong in Hornchurch, Richard Clark in Humbleton, Emma Black in Fife, and Scott Pagan in Kirkcowan.

This week's star prize is a brilliant Mickey and Minnie alarm clock set from

the Lorus Disney range that will look fab on any bedside table!
There is also a cool red and blue Mickey wristwatch to be

won, so you can tell the time in style!

The whole Lorus set is worth more than 240, so if you'd like to try and win, send in your drawings, poems and letters to Mickey's Mail at the address above.



This week's star prize winner is Mina Mokhtary from Whitley Bay for this picture of the nephews winding Donald up again - 'snow joke'!

Dear Mickey and friends,

I went to see Disney's World On Ice and I saw all my favourite characters there! I loved the Duckburg Diner bit, and I also liked the Ancient Egyptian dance with Roger Rabbit. It was great!
Love from **Heather Allan**, Clydebank.
Thanks for your letter, Heather. Glad to hear you had 'an ice' time! Love, Mickey and friends.

POET'S CORNER

Goofy drove around In his shiny new car, Up and down the roads he went, Near and far

Near and far, He drove round the corner, Oh, dear, oh, dear, he

crashed! There's nothing left to call his home,

All that's left is smashed!

Thomas Nicholls Leamington Spa.

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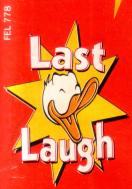


For Saturdays I just can't wait, Run down the path and through the gate, To the shop, speeding like Sonic, To pick up my Disney comic, Then rush home without delay, To send those competitions on their way! Anya Wilkinson, Cumbria

ANSWERS TO MICKEY'S DITTIES

Dances With Ducks: Sitting Bull











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